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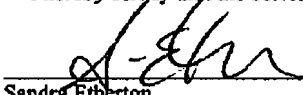
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*In re Application of*

**Applicants:** SHANKS, Steven C. et al.  
**Title of Invention:** Laser Device to Treat Sympathetic and Parasympathetic Nervous System  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL,  
REQUEST FOR PRE-APPEAL BRIEF REVIEW, and  
STATEMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST  
FOR PRE-APPEAL BRIEF REVIEW**

Dear Sir:

An Office Action for the above-identified application was dated July 2, 2007, with a shortened statutory response period set to expire three months from that date. The Notice of Appeal, Request for Pre-Appeal Brief Review, and Statement Accompanying the Request for Pre-Appeal Brief Review enclosed herein are submitted within three months of the time period set for reply. No

extension fees are due. A charge form for the fee for the Notice of Appeal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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